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28) [24376] Re: FOX: Proposal to amend FOXHUNT Rules
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by W3AWqrp@aol.com
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by hsilver@pyx.net
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by Shephed@aol.com
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by ARDUJENSKI@aol.com
34) [24382] need call again
by bkobie@webtv.net (patrick obrien)
35) [24383] TAC-1 40 mtr rig for trade
by Kelly Ellison {WB0WQS} <kelman@dialnet.net>
36) [24384]
by ka4niv@mindspring.com
37) [24385] Re: unixcw-1.1a Morse tutor software problem
by KC5TJA <kc5tja@topaz.axisinternet.com>
38) [24386] Need antenna web site info
by hamjoel@juno.com
39) [24387] Re: unixcw-1.1a Morse tutor software problem
by <hsilver@pyx.net>
40) [24388] FS Kenwood DFC-230
by W3AWqrp@aol.com
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by W3AWqrp@aol.com
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by "Steve Miller" <kg7pv@teleport.com>
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- 44) [24392] Re: NC40 More Band Coverage
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- 45) [24393] FS
by "Kenneth W. Evans" <w4du@bellsouth.net>
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by n5inz@juno.com (John M Andrews)
- 47) [24395] Re: A question from an old tube person
by ka1iic <ka1iic@ime.net>
- 48) [24396] newbie Q's part 2, was Re: MY REPLY
by Rod Cerkoney <ruc@frii.com>
- 49) [24397] HW-9 Modifications ...
by John Raynsford <gcial7jk@gci.net>
- 50) [24398] Ten Turn Pots
by "Walter Dufrain" <walter@inlink.com>
- 51) [24399] FS: Heathkit HW-9
by Wonil <wonil@earthlink.net>
- 52) [24400] 6 yr old YL on Sweepstakes
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by k6mgo@juno.com (william h ross)
- 56) [24404] RCA TRANSISTOR
by "WILLIAM T. ROSE" <supertec@mail.myriad.net>

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 17:10:04 -0700
From: Denton Bramwell W7DB <Denton@Bramwell.Org>
To: "'qrp-l@lehigh.edu'" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [24349] RE: SSB Canceling
Message-ID: <5103124387F8D11199DD00A0C925E4B90628D1@SQLMAILSERVER>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain

>> Is it possible to build a canceller
for SSB by using the OTHER side-band?<<

You definitely can cancel your choice of the "upper" or "lower" side of the CW signal. The R2 and mini-R2 do this admirably. They are phasing receivers. However, getting rid of an intefering SSB signal is something else again, unless you can get away from it by moving about

1.4 KHz (distance from "normal" to "inverted" side of the CW signal.)

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 17:45:16 -0700
From: "Robert Armstrong" <barmstrong@sisna.com>
To: <Qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24350] 38 SPECIAL - HELP NEEDED
Message-ID: <01be0ab1\$0d595500\$e2b4d2d1@barmstrong.sisna.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

My 38 special transmits OK, and receives too ... but has no selectivity at all. I can hear a signal over the entire 15 KHz tuning range. Can someone direct me to a possible source of the problem?

de N7XJ, Bob in Utah

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 15:09 -0800 (PST)
From: wctrautfield@west.raytheon.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24351] Tnx for 15 mtr delta loop help
Message-ID: <0F210075R2L95F@mail.hac.com>
MIME-version: 1.0
Content-type: TEXT/PLAIN; CHARSET=ISO-8859-1
Content-transfer-encoding: 7BIT
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Hello Everyone

Just wanted to say thanks for all the help with the 15 meter delta loop question. I was amazed at the number of responses and the level of detail in them. There was so much, that I printed them all out to read in the carpool to and from work. Thanks again folks. I hope I can return the favor, in time. Best Regards.

Curt
KE6CDC
Lompoc Ca.

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 20:36:30 -0500
From: "Stephen A. Long III" <slong@aldus.northnet.org>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24352] FS NCG 15m
Message-ID: <1.5.4.16.19981106203623.264784f6@aldus.northnet.org>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

NCG 15m for sale. Box, manual, mic, etc.
Posting for a friend. \$ negotiable.

Steve Raycraft, WB2KKX
Watertown, NY
(315)788-9323

If I had the \$, I would have picked it up.
72 de Steve KB2DAJ

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 19:47:23 -0600
From: Ed Manuel <n5em@flash.net>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24353] HR2600 Mic Help
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19981106194723.008cf6c0@pop.flash.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

Thanks, for all the responses. Seems that the cartridge in the HR2600 mics have a high failure rate after all. I replaced it with a Heil Sound Cartridge and have beaucoup de audio again. Signal reports tomorrow will confirm whether it sounds OK. A generic dynamic 500 ohm element did not fix the problem. I deduce that a 2000 ohm ceramic cartridge or equivalent is in order. If you hear me on 10 meters, it's a Heil HC-3 you'll be hearing. Sure happy I just happened to have one lying around :-) Thanks, Wes.

Ed Manuel, N5EM
Houston, Texas
n5em@amsat.org
n5em@flash.net

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 19:58:07 -0600
From: "George T. Baker" <w5yr@swbell.net>
To: kb0vcc@rocketmail.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24354] Re: SSB Canceling
Message-ID: <3643A92F.3DFC5391@swbell.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 8bit
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Dale, one problem that comes immediately to mind is dealing with the selective fading situation across such a wide frequency range. It is very common with RTTY (you can easily see it on a scope and it seems to happen almost constantly) to have considerable variation in the relative amplitudes of the two tones from instant to instant. This causes many of the errors seen with RTTY. This is with two clean sinewave signals only 170 Hz apart. Imagine the situation with complex speech waveforms in two sidebands spanning a range of 7 to 8 kHz, plus dealing with the fact of frequency inversions, etc.

Of course, the concept would work at all only if the interfering SSB station were transmitting enough opposite sideband signal to be picked up and processed. Further complication comes from the loss of any phase coherence between the two sidebands due to the absence of the carrier component.

Interesting notion - maybe someone has tried something like that and can comment.

72/73, George

Amateur Radio W5YR, in the 53rd year and it just keeps getting better!
AutoPOWER Systems, Fairview, TX (30 mi NE Dallas) Collin County
QRP-L QRP-ARCI FISTS NORCAL ZOMBIE #522 ARS 10-X 33.2 N 96.6 W EM13RE

KB VCC wrote:

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> Is it possible to build a canceller
> for SSB by using the OTHER side-band?

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 21:01:51 -0500

From: "Jim Fielden" <fielden@utkux.utcc.utk.edu>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [24355] NC40 More Band Coverage
Message-ID: <01be09f2\$95e37500\$6f12a980@galaxian>
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How to get almost full CW Band Coverage out of a Norcal 40, with out changing a cap.

Wow, I figured out something cool, all by myself :) I was playing around with my NC40a, since I added the 10 turn pot I was thinking of increasing the bandwidth so I could work in the Novice Part of the band, but really didn't like the idea of the radio tuning from 7024 to 7140.

I notice that C50 (the var cap in the NC40a) was wide open giving me a tune of 7024 to 7061, that is fine and where I hang out most of the time so not a problem. If I fully closed C50 I would get a tuning range of something like 6980 to 7020 or so. L9 has 60 turns, I went through the manual, it said "If you're planning to use the Norcal 40A in the Novice band, use 58 turns on L9 rather than 60."

I thought that would put it to high in the band and that I wouldn't be able to get back down to 7030, so I went for 59 turns on L9. Nope that didn't get it, gave me a upper limit of about 7090, so off with one more turn, now L9 down to 58 turns.

With C50 Fully Closed now I tune from 7024 to 7061, with C50 Fully Open I tune from 7092 to 7132, cool now with a quick pop of the top and a turn of C50 to either fully open for Novice Op, or fully closed for Normal CW Action.

Now with a simple mod of removing 2 turns from L9 my Wilderness NorCal 40A tunes from 7024 to 7140, with out any problems.

I'm sure this must be common knowledge to most 40a owners, but I just thought I would share it with the group incase there are more dummies (like me) lurking on the list. See ya in the Novice Part of the Band..

72 * Jim, KU4QW - QRP-L # 1481 - G-QRP # 10117
fielden@utkux.utcc.utk.edu - FISTS # 5380 - QRP ARCI # 9789
<http://www.qsl.net/ku4qw/> - No-SSB International (tm) # 1,000,014

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 21:20:10 EST
From: Zenith9zn@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24356] N/T+ FOX NOT ON AFTER ALL
Message-ID: <4fa0618c.3643ae5a@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
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I am sorry but I will not be on the air tonight or tomorrow as planned. I am having antenna trouble and am tired of going up in the attic so many times. I am seriously considering selling everything as I am no longer interested in making this thing work. I have been messing with it since September and am fed up. If anyone is interested in a Ten Tec 1340 with power supply and power/swr meter, e-mail me and lets talk. 73's and thanks for all the help in the past. John KB4UTV SK CL

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 02:47:44 GMT
From: mwattcpa@earthlink.net (Marty Watt)
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24357] FS: St. Louis Tuner (fully constructed)
Message-ID: <3643ac13.73614816@mail.earthlink.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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I have in my posession a fully constructed St. Louis Tuner. I can't =
verify
history, but rumor has it this little jewel has a fine pedigree, having =
been
built by a member of the St. Louis QRP club. I do know the manual is =
from the
St. Louis QRP Society kit, not NorCal. The case is about 20% smaller =
than my
St. Louis Tuner NorCal Kit case, and there are enclosed air variable caps
(rather than the rather large open ones in the kit). The PC Board isn't
silkscreened, but appears "homebrew" as well. Only other difference I =
can
find is the absense of BNC connections on the back -- everything else =
present
and accounted for.

Copy of the manual included, case is painted to match the Sierra. The
labeling is on clear plastic and is attached to the light blue case -- =

looks
really sharp.

I prefer trades, actually, for other stuff. I'd love a battery powered =
(not
Logikey K-3) CMOS III keyer, assembled or not. I don't have equipment =
for 6m
or 220 MHz VHF or any all-mode VHF equipment, so offers of trade on that =
would
interest me as well. Stuff like that ...

I'll accept offers and proposals over the weekend, since I probably will =
not
Will decide Monday what to do ...

I'm not sure what a fair cash deal would be. If you'd like to make an =
offer,
feel free.

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72 es 73 de Marty, KM7W

Memphis, Tennessee <http://home.earthlink.net/~mwattcpa>
NorCal #2031 -- ARCI #7514 -- QRP-L #0953 -- AK/QRP #098 -- Grid EM55

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 21:55:32 -0500
From: Mike Boatright <ko4wx@mindspring.com>
To: QRP-L <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24358] Re: 10t Pot Report
Message-ID: <3643B6A4.7926@mindspring.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Got mine today, too. Thanks, Jerry!

72 de Mike, K04WX

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Mike Boatright, K04WX
Amateur Radio Emergency Service,
District Emergency Coordinator to Georgia Emergency Management Agency

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 22:09:26 EST

From: we6w@juno.com (Ed Loranger)
To: Zenith9zn@aol.com
Cc: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24359] Re: N/T+ FOX NOT ON AFTER ALL
Message-ID: <19981106.190816.4815.3.we6w@juno.com>

Major bumner Dude! I had just written up my quick reference card to carry out to the shack with me. Why don't you try anyway??? Send 1/2 watt ERP my way??? I was all set to make a path to the rig and maybe even fire up the kerosene heater out there (it's getting cold!)

Even the dog is shivering. But I know how daunting it can be trying to get all the pieces together. Once I found that my twinlead was pinched between the metal garage door closure!! No wonder the SWR wouldn't behave.

But I was still getting out and having fun.

It is perfectly OK to be discouraged. We all go thru that.

But somehow we got around it or tried something new.

Hang in there. You have friends with you.

-Ed

72, Ed WE6W QRP-Z#106 <http://www.qsl.net/we6w>
Enjoying Ham Radio every day! Santa Rosa, CA.

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or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 22:17:29 EST
From: Zenith9zn@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24360] RE: N/T+ ON AIR?
Message-ID: <d4f4e34c.3643bbc9@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
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What damage can I do with a high SWR (around 3.0)? Let me know if concensus is good, I might try, but 30 minutes left to get on air if I try

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 22:40:16 -0500
From: S LYON <sslyon@worldnet.att.net>
To: qrp-1 <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24361] salute to this group
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Without attributions, my thanks go to the folks who have made the fellowship found on this list and in this hobby a treasured reward.

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Tho stressed and buzzed
we look in every now and then and
punch the delete key perhaps too hastily
we recognize with thanks that there is a real
wealth of humanity, knowlege, -even wisdom here

that inspires
and validates our
faith in fellow pilgrims
that inspires our.. romantic
notions of what we each can be

and to be sure
tho there's quite enough
to remind any who would care

of the other, lesser side we share,
thanks go to those who tend the fires

who inspire curiosity
who illuminate the murky path
who provide the encouraging word
who tread respectfully upon the sacred
and bring future's hope within the seekers grasp

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 22:19:19 -0500
From: "Tim Cook" <timcook@erinet.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24362] FS: Ten Tec Corsair One
Message-ID: <027701be09fd\$692bb300\$44705acf@timcook.erinet.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Ten Tec Corsair One for sale, (bought from Ten Tec 3 months ago). Case has some scratches, but front panel is excellent. Works excellent. Super audio and QSK, Complete with manual and power cord. \$380 + shipping. Please email direct if you are interested.

Thanks

Tim

NZ8J

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 03:30:34 +0000
From: Hank Kohl K8DD <k8dd@contesting.com>
To: ku7y@dri.edu
Cc: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24363] Re: Contest Software which Allows Honest Signal Reports
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19981107033034.00ab5100@192.0.0.1>
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With NA Logging you can send any RST by putting a \$ in the position where the RST would normally go instead of the "normal" 5NN exchange. This started sometime around Version 8 or 9.

73 Hank K8DD

At 05:33 PM 11/5/98 -0800, Monte Stark wrote:
>With TR Log you can send the sig strength with no
>trouble. The readability and tone I don't know
>about.
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>There is a command to use in the logcfg.dat file
>that will either wait for you to enter the number
>to have sent in the report or if you don't want
>it to sit there waiting it will send a "9" as
>the default if you haven't entered something
>else before it's ready to send.
>

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 23:21:37 -0500
From: nick caruso <nzc@mediaone.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24364] Re: Homebrew Spectrum Analyzer for the Radio Amateur(Long)
Message-ID: <3643CAD1.6B8DEB16@mediaone.net>
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I too am building the W7ZOI/K7TAU spectrum analyzer.

I've got the sweep board built and working, and 1 version of the 110 MHz TTC filter which is being reworked (very high insertion loss :-). I just got the parts kit from KANGA and am starting the rest of the boards tomorrow (sat 7 nov).

(I went out to Future/Active and bought the sweep board parts on my own...)

I built a power supply using a 24V transformer, a monster bridge rectifier salvaged from something or other, and a couple of 15 volt regulators. Works ok so far.

I also ordered some samples of the Analog devices log amp AD8307 (and the AD603 gain-controlled amp as well) and will eventually be fooling around with them as modifications to the SA. I'd love to hear about anyone's experiences in this area!

72,
nick caruso KB1DEJ

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 23:23:58 -0500
From: Don Wilhelm <w3fpr@mindspring.com>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24365] Brown Brothers keys CTL-B
Message-ID: <3.0.1.32.19981106232358.006952e4@pop.mindspring.com>
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Gang,

When Chuck asked others with BTL keys to identify themselves, I got to wondering just how many other QRP folks have a Brown Brothers CTL-B key like mine - that's the one with the paddles and straight key on one base. Have had mine a long time and would like to know how many others also have one.

E-mail me, and I'll post the total back to the list.

Tnx es 72,
Don W3FPR

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 05:29:27 GMT
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=460lks,=20

The original birthgiver of this little tuner has contacted me and asked =
for
the opportunity to re-acquire it. I hope I don't hurt any feelings here =
by
taking it off the market, but I know if I had built and sold something, =
I'd
appreciate the opportunity to re-acquire it as well.

Thanks for your understanding!

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72 es 73 de Marty, KM7W

Memphis, Tennessee <http://home.earthlink.net/~mwattcpa>
NorCal #2031 -- ARCI #7514 -- QRP-L #0953 -- AK/QRP #098 -- Grid EM55

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 00:57:19 -0500
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To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24367] Re: Contest Software which Allows Honest Signal Reports
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"Bruce Prior" <n7rr@hotmail.com> wrote:

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QRP Gang:

One of the nifty things about Sweepstakes is that the exchange includes no signal reports. Am I the only QRPer who is allergic to 59/599 signal reports which are given after several repeats, and even accompanied by comments about a weak signal? The problem is exacerbated by contest software which requires you to jump up and down on your left leg while holding your right ear with the left thumb and pointer finger in order to send an honest signal report during a contest. Does anybody know of contest software which makes it easy to send an accurate signal report in a contest exchange? Thanks. I'm looking forward to SS QSOs with lots of you this weekend from Western Washington. 72, Bruce Prior N7RR

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TR-Log allows this. You simply put a certain character into the exchange

string where the second digit of the report goes and it will stop and prompt you for the report. Since the program is much faster than the CW, you have plenty of time to hit the digit you want without a pause. The RST is also logged accordingly. I used this feature in the QRP-ARCI QSO Party and it works great.

TR-Log - <http://www.qth.com/tr>

72,

Al AE2T
ae2t@bigfoot.com

Date: Fri, 06 Nov 1998 22:02:57 -0800
From: David Adams <adamsclan@netgate.net>
To: QRP <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [24368] Good times...
Message-ID: <3643E291.3C62966E@netgate.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Well, this is probably the direct result of biochem-induced stress (mid-term on monday (protein structure, sequencing, and synthesis), SS and a visit from brother #2 this weeked), but isn't it amazing how the smallest projects make can give you the biggest grins?

I had been studying for the afore-mentioned exam and had reached the state where if I tried to sequence one more peptide my brains would actually begin to flow from my brain...I needed a break...and as the man says, what better way to get a break than to "melt solder"

So...I made a mad dash to the workbench to see what was in the hopper...hmmm....not much....a 6m rig needing trouble-shooting...a 20m rig needing a new board etched...neither sounding like a lot of fun at the moment...but what is that hiding in the corner...a small yellow envelope?!?!

Ah hah!...an old tick-1 kit I purchased at a norcal meeting many moons ago...well, SS is tomorrow and the econo-keyer has been major flakey ever since its return trip from France (it came back with lab equipment and was actually disassembled in customs)...so why not...

First, I grabbed an Altoid tin and beat the appropriate holes in it.

Then I grabbed the iron and through the thing together...since I am still always suprised when something I built works the first time, I was very pleased to hear the first dit-dit from the speaker...

Feeling a bit more relaxed (having put all thoughts of chymotrypsin behind me), I hooked up the norcal key and the explorer II and whammed out a CQ...surprise surprise I get a call back first go...no distance awards here as he lives just a few blocks from me, but still...a nice (slow speed) chat and I am refreshed and ready to hit the books again (now that I can sequence peptides, I need to synthesize them)...

Ah well, fun, fun, fun...73 de dave, n9uxu

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David J Adams, N9UXU

adamsclan@netgate.net

Amateur Radio, Flow Cytometry, Digital Photography and Parrot enthusiast

<http://u1.netgate.net/~adamsclan>

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 01:15:31 EST
From: Zenith9zn@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24369] N/T+MADE IT AFTERALL
Message-ID: <dec345c0.3643e583@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Well, with SWR over 3.0 and battling BCast QRM, I was able to make 3 QSO"s. Would have been 4 if a SW station would not have signed on right when I was coping comeback (Apologies to N0UVR). I was having hard time copying a KK5 station which was very patient and I send him my thanks. I managed to work WE6W in Calif, K5ZT in Tx, And N7mfb in Wash. Tnx to all who I worked. I will be doing it again tomorrow night, an hour later. 73's John KB4UTV

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 01:31:05 -0500
From: "Tim Cook" <timcook@erinet.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24370] Corsair Sold - thanks
Message-ID: <00a601be0a18\$32feba00\$44705acf@timcook.erinet.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

The Corsair One has been sold, thanks for the response
Tim
NZ8J

Date: Fri, 6 Nov 1998 22:42:15 -0800 (PST)
From: Monte Stark <ku7y@dri.edu>
To: Zenith9zn@aol.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [24371] Re: N/T+MADE IT AFTERALL
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.96.981106224122.1333D-100000@vortex>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

Hi John,

I listened from 0400z to 0430z but never heard you
or any hounds.

Very glad to hear that you made it and got some QSOs!

Good job!

73, Ron, SOWP 5545M,

.....KU7Y.....ARCI #8829.....Monte "Ron" Stark.....
....ku7y@sage.dri.edu.....Washoe Lake, Nevada....
....QRP-L #17...ARS #49...NorCal #330.....NRA LIFE.....

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 02:11:33 EST
From: we6w@juno.com (Ed Loranger)
To: Zenith9zn@aol.com
Cc: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24372] Re: N/T+ ON AIR?
Message-ID: <19981106.231022.8007.1.we6w@juno.com>

Big John! Nice job. Your 599 I sent you was real.
Good going. I told you we could do it!

Now we gotta get Sam running with the 'SAM-Tenna'
WE have a plan.

-Ed

72, Ed WE6W QRP-Z#106 <http://www.qsl.net/we6w>
Enjoying Ham Radio every day! Santa Rosa, CA.

On Fri, 6 Nov 1998 22:17:29 EST Zenith9zn@aol.com writes:

>What damage can I do with a high SWR (around 3.0)? Let me know if
>concensus
>is good, I might try, but 30 minutes left to get on air if I try
>

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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 02:12:49 EST
From: Zenith9zn@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24373] N/T+ REMINDER FOR SATURDAY
Message-ID: <daeb5ea5.3643f2f1@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I will be trying again tomorrow, 11/8/98 on 7.110 MHz from 0500 UTC to 0700
UTC (11/7/98 2200 MST to 0000 MST). will try to lower SWR on antenna. It was
fun last night. Again, Please Send Slow. TNX John KB4UTV Gilbert, Az.

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 05:10:28 -0500 (EST)
From: "Paul R. Valko" <prvalko@oakland.edu>
To: Jim Fielden <fielden@utkux.utcc.utk.edu>
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24374] Re: NC40 More Band Coverage
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.95.981107050325.28256A-100000@vela.acs.oakland.edu>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

On Fri, 6 Nov 1998, Jim Fielden wrote:

> Now with a simple mod of removing 2 turns from L9 my Wilderness NorCal 40A

> tunes from 7024 to 7140, with out any problems.

> I'm sure this must be common knowledge to most 40a owners, but I just

Yeah... it is common knowledge... I do something to that effect all the time, but I was not as clever as you to do it based upon the position of the L0 Tuning cap's position! Good thinking Jim.

I'm just lazy, I just hit the KC1's freq button :-)

MY question is... How important are the other settings for the amp and receiver when doing this? My guess is, not much... but I'd like to know.

73! =paul= W8KC

Collector of Ten*Tecs and other fine plastics

<<http://www.acs.oakland.edu/~prvalko>>

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 07:53:04 -0500

From: Scott Howell <whowell@hq.nasa.gov>

To: grp-1@lehigh.edu

Subject: [24375] masts and mounting

Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19981107075304.008418f0@mail.hq.nasa.gov>

Mime-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

Ok, got a question for you super smart folks.

A gent here locally wants to get a mast that is in sections, that can be mounted to the side/roof of his house, will handle a 2m ringo ranger deal, and could be mounted permanently.

Any suggestions and where to get them. He can't find any at RS and I thought at one time they did carry such an item.

Now for me, I want to find a mast that can be stuffed into the ground and stand pretty well with a little strapping to the deck, can handle some form of verdicle or perhaps a dipole or other such antenna, can be retracted from whatever height to 12ft.

Now if these aren't to big an order to fill, I'd appreciate it. Still exploring antenna ideas for the assoc. I live in.

Trying to get the draft resolution together. should post here cause I know some of you could make this thing so perfet, they'd buy into it from the get go.

tnx es 72/73 de Scott/n3byy

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 08:17:53 EST
From: Shephed@aol.com
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24376] Re: FOX: Proposal to amend FOXHUNT Rules
Message-ID: <74e18bfc.36444881@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

In a message dated 11/6/98 6:19:56 PM Eastern Standard Time,
n1tp@worldnet.att.net writes:

> I propose
> that each FOX get one point for being the FOX. In my humble opinion it
> is inequitable that the FOX misses his/her opportunity to get a point by
> being the FOX.

I vote yes.

72, 73
Dan, N8VZU
QRP-1 #1404

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 08:36:50 -0500
From: kf2ew@juno.com
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24377] 6 yr old working SS
Message-ID: <19981107.083653.8902.0.kf2ew@juno.com>

Hello everyone. I wanted to thank everyone who sent kind replies about my daughter Ashley, KC2EEQ, who recently received her novice license at age 6. A number of replies asked about her operating schedule for Sweepstakes.

I am planning to post a message between 2 and 4 pm with a schedule for today. We will be starting at 4 pm, taking a break for dinner and church, and then working from about 8:30 pm until we're too tired.

I'll post the band and frequency this afternoon.

Again, thanks to all.

Mike, KF2EW

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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 08:56:22 EST
From: W3AWqrp@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24378] FS LDG QRP Auto Tuner
Message-ID: <36b2de4f.36445186@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

FS:

LDG Auto Ant Tuner, QRP version built by factory. Works fine , in new condx
never outside shack. Don't really use it. Make an offer.
Tnx and 72
Kirk
W3AW
Springfield, Il

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 09:17:33 -0500 (EST)
From: hsilver@pyx.net
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24379] unixcw-1.1a Morse tutor software problem
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.981107090551.11165B-100000@matrix.pyx.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

unixcw-1.1 and unixcw-1.1a are morse code tutors.

I downloaded unixcw-1.1a recently from sunsite. I also have unixcw-1.1
I run Linux Red Hat 5.1 with the 2.0.35 kernel and ncurses-3
I recently changed over from Slackware distribution after several
years. I don't use sound cards in the Linux machines.

On Slackware distribution of Linux (BSD style) the three programs in
unixcw-1.1 (not with an "a" suffix) worked as expected and they have been

helpful over the past couple of years for my family members learning Morse. In Red Hat (SysV), all three programs compile without warnings or errors. However, when I run the cw program from the command line in console mode, and type for example the letter 'a' [Enter] I get the dihdah but then the speaker continues to send a tone that will not release the speaker for about two minutes or unless I press [Ctrl] [C] to quit the program and then a [Backspace] to produce a bell character. This same problem also happens with unixcw-1.1a

I can't figure out if this is a libc problem (which is different between Slackware Linux and Red Hat Linux) or perhaps its an ncurses problem or perhaps a device problem.

The author's email address is no longer valid.

Has anyone else encountered these sorts of problems with this program and fixed the source code ? If so, please let me know.

Thanks in advance,

Harley Silver

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 09:32:20 EST
From: Shephed@aol.com
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24380] Not QRP: Just excited!
Message-ID: <881f6598.364459f4@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Well everyone, big changes here at my QTH.
First off I got my vanity call today!
Say good-bye to N8VZU (18 chars) and say hello to N8IE (10 chars). It's an ugly call (as per the XYL) but man is it short!

Also I got my accreditation from the ARRL, I'm now a VE. I love to help people out in the hobby, and this gives me a big opportunity to do this.

72, 73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-1 #1404
FISTS #4985
ARRL VE

Collector of all things Pepsi

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 09:57:28 EST
From: ARDUJENSKI@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU, nwq-1@scn.org
Subject: [24381] NEW-LOW BAND DXING BOOK
Message-ID: <f4e77e1.36445fd8@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

John Devoldere is coming out with an updated version of LOW BAND DXING and from what I am told treats the subject of radials quite completely. It should be on the shelves around XMAS. For those who have not read this book, you are missing out on a super reference guide that is one of the most complete on antenna comparisons and types and phasing.
ALAN KB7MBI

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 10:10:40 -0500 (EST)
From: bkobie@webtv.net (patrick obrien)
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24382] need call again
Message-ID: <20396-364462F0-4534@mailtod-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Content-Type: Text/Plain; Charset=US-ASCII
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7Bit
MIME-Version: 1.0 (WebTV)
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7Bit

WHO WAS THE HAM WHO SENT ME A EMAIL ADVISING HE BUILDS KITS..I LOST THE MSG...IT WAS A K8...K8DIN, K8D..SOMETHING PSE RESPOND AGAIN, APPRECIATE IT, K8LEN/PAT

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 09:13:10 -0600
From: Kelly Ellison {WB0WQS} <kelman@dialnet.net>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24383] TAC-1 40 mtr rig for trade
Message-ID: <36446386.5BFF2323@dialnet.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi All,

My previous trade fell through so once again offer my S&S Electronics
TAC-1 40 meter CW transceiver for trade.
This radio is the digital, knob tuned version. It has a switch able AF
filter with 5 watts output.
Complete with manual and original World Radio review of this particular
rig.

Looking to trade it for unbuilt kits, AEA Handi Talkies, or a Ten Meter
rig like a Uniden HR2600.
For more information, please contact me direct at kelman@dialnet.net

Thank you,

Kelly Ellison, WB0WQS - Aurora, MO

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 10:27:06 -0500
From: ka4niv@mindspring.com
To: <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Message-ID: <001f01be0a63\$152467a0\$82f810d1@oemcomputer>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Gang ...
Check out this great glossary of solar -terrestrial terms ...

<http://www.sel.noaa.gov/info/glossary.html>

72 , , ,
KA4NIV

qrp-1# 1158
ars# 179

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 00:03:23 -0800 (PST)
From: KC5TJA <kc5tja@topaz.axisinternet.com>
To: hsilver@pyx.net
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24385] Re: unixcw-1.1a Morse tutor software problem
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.981106235713.9549A-100000@amethyst.axisinternet.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

On Sat, 7 Nov 1998 hsilver@pyx.net wrote:

> I can't figure out if this is a libc problem (which is different between
> Slackware Linux and Red Hat Linux) or perhaps its an ncurses problem or
> perhaps a device problem.

Linus Torvalds is the ultimate authority in what goes into a kernel distribution. If the device works under Slackware, it should work under Debian and RedHat.

Since unixcw uses ioctl() to produce its sounds, which is a direct interface to the console drivers, it sounds like the ioctl() interface isn't working correctly for some reason.

This could mean that the device drivers used in RedHat are not compatible with the rest of the Linux distributions. Pray that Linus doesn't catch wind of this. It could also mean that your kernel version has a bug in the console code. I'm using 2.0.34 kernel, and Unixcw works just fine for me. I do not have 2.0.35.

To be honest, I think it's the latter. I just think that your console code has a bug in it. You may want to upgrade or downgrade a version of the kernel (install the 2.0.34 image, instead of 2.0.35).

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      KC5TJA/6      |                               -| TEAM DOLPHIN |-
          DM13      |                               Samuel A. Falvo II
      QRP-L #1447   |                               http://www.dolphin.openprojects.net
      Oceanside, CA |.....
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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 11:02:15 -0500
From: hamjoel@juno.com
To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24386] Need antenna web site info
Message-ID: <19981107.110338.-131367.0.hamjoel@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

High Gang

Kinda excited about a new ant project and since I have a new computer that seems to work I thought I might try to find some ant sites on the web.....

I know some of u guys have web pages or kneaux the add or some and I sure could use the info...

I'm still looking at feeding two half squares that will end fire instead of broadside the world... Hee hee :-)

Thanks from the displaced cajun in maine
joel wa5cvm in maine suffering from the cold brrrrrrrrrrrrrr

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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 11:06:29 -0500 (EST)
From: <hsilver@pyx.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24387] Re: unixcw-1.1a Morse tutor software problem
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.981107110434.13420A-100000@matrix.pyx.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

On Sat, 7 Nov 1998, KC5TJA wrote:

> You may want to upgrade or downgrade a version of
> the kernel (install the 2.0.34 image, instead of 2.0.35).

I appreciate your reply and your other suggestions, but this is completely out of the question in terms of a solution.

Regards,

Harley Silver

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 11:16:33 EST
From: W3AWqrp@aol.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU

Subject: [24388] FS Kenwood DFC-230
Message-ID: <8c1aa727.36447261@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

FS Kenwood DFC-230. Bought it off the list abt a month ago. Works fine and includes the Kenwood mic. I paid \$125 and would like to get something close to that. If interested pls respond. I'll ship it. Tnx and 72

Kirk
W3AW
Near Springfield, Il

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 11:16:54 EST
From: W3AWqrp@aol.com
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24389] FS LDG QRP Auto Tuner sold
Message-ID: <81a62c3.36447276@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Above item sold . Tnx
Kirk
W3AW

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 08:29:45 -0800
From: "Steve Miller" <kg7pv@teleport.com>
To: "QRP-L : to send msg to list" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [24390] RE: NC40 More Band Coverage
Message-ID: <00e601be0a6c\$0eb45e80\$baa9cacc@newmicronpc>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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In the NC40 and NC40A I built the pwr out would dip at the low end of the tuning range with more than about 40 - 50 khz spread.

According to the NC40A manual this is due to the tight filter made up of L6, C38 and C39. The manual offers several ways to deal with this. I had good

results by changing C38 to 47pf and L6 to 36 turns of #28 on a T50-2 torroid. I built the rig this way and used a ten turn pot with a KC1. I use two caps paralleled (47 + 27 npo monolithic) in place of C49.

I built my NC40 with the cap and switch mod by Terry Young KC6S0C in the March 94 QRPp. Bob Warmke W6CYX suggested (in the same issue) in his version of a full band mod to the 40A to replace L6 with 12 turns #26 on a FT37-61 and change C38 to a 50 pf cap. 72

Steve Miller kg7pv@teleport.com
Portland,OR

Norcal #308, ARCI #9230, QRP-L # 109

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 11:47:06 EST
From: Elekktron1@aol.com
To: Zenith9zn@aol.com, qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24391] Re: N/T+MADE IT AFTERALL
Message-ID: <359084ab.3644798a@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

That was probably me you were trying to copy...I know the QRM was terrible, and I thank you for making the effort...maybe next time...wish we didn't have the foreign broadcasters to deal with!...heard you work my friend K5ZTY...anyway, maybe I'll try again tonight. Good Luck...de KK5WL...TX...Gary...QRP-L # 330...

Date: Sun, 08 Nov 1998 12:31:57 -0500
From: Richard <kt4or@qsl.net>
To: kg7pv@teleport.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24392] Re: NC40 More Band Coverage
Message-ID: <3645D58D.448028E0@qsl.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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> March 94 QRPp. Bob Warmke W6CYX suggested (in the same issue) in his
> version of a full band mod to the 40A to replace L6 with 12 turns #26 on a
> FT37-61 and change C38 to a 50 pf cap. 72

Since I wasn't even a ham in '94, can anybody who has the above article
send it to me. If not, can someone inform me of what the expected
bandwidth would be. I'm currently using a Wilderness Sierra 10-80 meters
but I want to help out a friend who has his ticket but no rigs. I'm
going to let him use my NC40A and it would be nice for him to have the
whole 40 meter band. Another QRP op could be the end result so any help
would be appreciated.

72 es CUL Richard KT4OR/QRP

QRP-L #1750 FISTS # 2691 10-X # 68271
DXCC, WAC, WAS, 1000 Miles Per Watt: 7 MHz CW #1595

kt4or@qsl.net <http://www.qsl.net/kt4or/>

DX IS! QRP is T00!!

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 13:30:12 -0500
From: "Kenneth W. Evans" <w4du@bellsouth.net>
To: QRP List <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24393] FS
Message-ID: <364491B3.4643B4EE@bellsouth.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

The 38 special is sold. I still have the SST-40. How about \$75.00
shipped CONUS?

Repond direct please.

72/3,

Ken w4du@bellsouth.net
W4DU

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 12:34:28 -0600
From: n5inz@juno.com (John M Andrews)
To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [24394] Re: NEW-LOW BAND DXING BOOK
Message-ID: <19981107.123429.3382.5.N5INZ@juno.com>

Looking forward to finding a copy.

ON4UN has been publishing great stuff since I was a pup. I'd pay big bucks to replace my lost copy of "80 Meter DXing" that was published by 73 in the late sixties.

He really knows his antenna designs.

72, John-N5INZ

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Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 14:35:39 -0800
From: ka1iic <ka1iic@ime.net>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24395] Re: A question from an old tube person
Message-ID: <3644CB3B.3D0C@ime.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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Hi everyone,

As an old tube person I have a question about these donut ferrite cores etc. Has anyone compared the efficiency of these cores to the old fashion coil on a paper tube coils?

For some reason (perhaps faulty brain function :-) I think that the larger coils would be more efficient if the Q of the coil was proper. Most of these cores are nothing more than wide band transformers and they will pass the fundamental plus all the spurs.

Anyone in a lab checked this one out?

Also I found a nice web site for those of us who like to wind 'normal' coils.

the site is at;

<http://brink.com/brink/qrp/>

73 & 72

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Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 11:52:11 -0700
From: Rod Cerkoney <rwc@frii.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24396] newbie Q's part 2, was Re: MY REPLY
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19981107115211.00812210@mail.frii.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

TNX to all who replied to my request for QRP Rig info earlier. I got LOTS of good responses and will be contacting some of you directly.

First, if you wondering about the strange subject line in the first email--It bounced a time or two & I forgot to change the SUBJ line, Oh Well!

After reading all of your email and doing more surfing, I've decide to hold off on the SIERRA for now. (If I built the SIERRA now; How could I convince my wife I needed another rig later? Start out REALLY small, then work UP to small. :-) I'm going to build a single bander, and it will probably be the Wilderness SST for 20 MTRS. IT'S CUTE!!! NN1G's GM-20 looks gud too, but I want a complete kit so I can get started fast. If this is a bad idea let me know soon, the check is almost in the mail. :-)

For backpacking I'll build the St. Louis Vert. later this year, have the Rod already. BTW Cabelas told me they are not going to handle the "Black Widow", referenced on the SLV pages, any more.

So--what I need next is, AN PORTABLE ANT TUNER: What to do, get, look for...etc? (I have an MFJ-949 for home shack use.) Are there plans any where for a gud homebrew (non-kit) unit somewhere? If I build the tuner from scratch where is a gud place for parts? Any help appreciated. Also what about BATT's. Type sources...etc.

BOY THIS IS GOING TO BE FUN--QRP & QRP-L'ers is HAM RADIO AT ITS BEST!!!

73, Rod Cerkoney, K0RWC, Ft Collins, CO.

BTW: I see people use "72" is that a "QRP" version on 73?

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 09:58:07 -0900
From: John Raynsford <gcial7jk@gci.net>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.edu
Subject: [24397] HW-9 Modifications ...
Message-ID: <3644983E.DE3CF169@gci.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Greetings, looking for publications, magazine articles, www sites
pertaining to the HW-9.

Thanks ...

AL7JK
John Raynsford
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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 13:21:59 -0600
From: "Walter Dufrain" <walter@inlink.com>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24398] Ten Turn Pots
Message-ID: <008501be0a83\$f1625720\$696ac4ce@nexar>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
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Hi All, First a special Thanks to Jerry W0MC for being
the purchase co-ordinator for these very nice pots. Received
my first group today and they are GREAT !

Thanks again Jerry, now you have had your turn in the Pot :-)

Walter Dufrain, AG5P Wright City, Missouri

Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 12:19:06 -0800
From: Wonil <wonil@earthlink.net>

To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Subject: [24399] FS: Heathkit HW-9

Message-ID: <3644AB39.FF75C03@earthlink.net>

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I want to sell a HW-9 8band(including WARC band) CW QRP transceiver.

It's in excellent condition and built with fine workmanship.

No retuning is necessary, just plug in the keyer, connect the antenna, and dc power.

It is in top TX/RX operational condition on all 8 bands.

It includes original builder's manual and schematic diagram.

Sale price is \$200 firm. I need dollars to buy PicBaic Pro software for microcontroller

project. Please email directly if interested.

Wonil,

73 de NR6Z

Visit my homepage to see the picture of HW-9

<http://home.earthlink.net/~wonil>

wonil@earthlink.net

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 15:21:21 -0500

From: kf2ew@juno.com

To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu

Subject: [24400] 6 yr old YL on Sweepstakes

Message-ID: <19981107.152123.10758.0.kf2ew@juno.com>

Just wanted to pass on to everyone that my daughter Ashley, KC2EEQ, will start SS on 15m, planning to call CQ 10 kHz up from the bottom of the novice band. After that we'll switch to 40m, again 10 kHz up from the bottom.

That's 21.110 and 7.110.

Good Luck to all,

Mike, KF2EW

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Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 16:09:30 -0500
From: "Tim Cook" <timcook@erinet.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24401] Corsair One -SOLD
Message-ID: <003b01be0a92\$ebdd3b80\$44705acf@timcook.erinet.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
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The Corsair has been sold, thanks to all who responded
Tim

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 16:16:17 -0500
From: "victor j celani" <victorj@fast.net>
To: <qrp-1@lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [24402] questions on prices items for sale
Message-ID: <199811072117.QAA04113@post2.fast.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Cleaning out the shack .I have a lot of equipment I dont use and need the room and \$ for a new kit or two. I could use some help on fair asking pricies for the items.

HW8 with manual pretty good cosmetics and works 2 HW7-1 pwr supplies, one works.

HW8 no manual pretty bad cosmetics but it works

Complete HW9 station(origianl manual) with HFT 9A(manual is a copy),HM9 wattmeter(original manual) and SP 99 matching speaker.

I'd like to sell this as a complete package.MINT

HFT 9 no manual HB replacement face plate

HM 9 no manual mint.

Howes QRP Kits for 20 and 40 M plus SWB 30 tuner .All are very nice cosmetically.Black face and gray cases They work fairly well.these were some of my first kits. all have manuals

624 30m kit works fine.manual

Also have MFJ artifical ground ,Mfj Versa tuner II 300 watts,

MFJ 989c 3 kw(roller inductor) tuner,(not exactly qrp).and an old TR7730 2m rig . Does any one know where these might be better listed?

Date: Sat, 7 Nov 1998 15:02:50 -0800
From: k6mgo@juno.com (william h ross)
To: qrp-l@lehigh.EDU
Subject: [24403] listing
Message-ID: <19981107.150251.-3972007.6.k6mgo@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Would like to know if anyone built the SLV in the original configuration,
i.e. 51feet of twin lead. How does it work?

72
Bill

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Date: Sat, 07 Nov 1998 18:30:46 -0600
From: "WILLIAM T. ROSE" <supertec@mail.myriad.net>
To: QRP-L@LEHIGH.EDU
Subject: [24404] RCA TRANSISTOR
Message-ID: <3644E636.E4E092C2@mail.myriad.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Guys ,

Does anyone have the spec's on a RCA C04141 transistor
it also has the number 3463099 on the top , I found it on a
circuit bd. in my junk box and it is a T05 can with a nice heat
sync on it thought it might work as a PA, but I can't find
anything on the thing.

KC5SCCBill
"Deep ion the Heart of Texas"

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